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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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CELLULAR MEMBRANE TIGHTLY BOUND
MAGNESIUM FOR DISEASE DIAGNOSIS
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

MS AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application. Applicant requests a two month extension or until March 6, 2005, to respond to the Office Action dated October 6, 2004. Our check in the amount of \$225.00 is attached to cover the two month extension of time fee.

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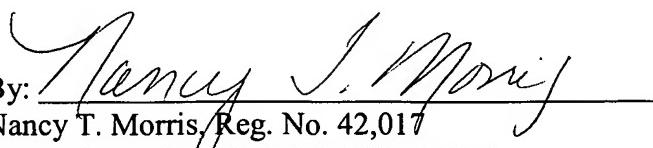
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